CLAIM AMENDMENTS

Please amend the claims as follows.

- 1. (Cancelled)
- 2. (Canceled)
- 3-4. (Canceled)
- 5. (Canceled)
- 6. (Canceled)
- 7. (Canceled)
- 8-10. (Canceled)
- 11. (Canceled)
- 12-14. (Canceled)
- 15. (Canceled)
- 16. (Canceled)
- 17-22. (Canceled)
- 23. (Currently amended) An aqueous contact lens disinfecting solution as claimed in Claim 21, comprising:
 - (a) less than 0.5 ppm PHMB;
 - (b) 0.01% to 0.1% dexpanthenol;
 - (c) 0.001% to 0.5% polyoxyethylene polyoxypropylene block polymer;
 - (d) 0.001% to 0.5% ethoxylated glucose derivative;
 - (e) bis-TRIS-propane buffer;
 - (f) 0.1% to 0.3% viscosity enhancing agent;
 - (g) less than 0.2% chelating agent; and
 - (h g) at least 4% of a tonicity agent selected from the group consisting of glycerol, urea, propylene glycol, sodium bicarbonate, sugars, alcohols, polyols, and mixtures thereof; wherein said solution has a tonicity of 200 to 450 mOsm/kg, a pH of between 6 and 8, and a concentration of chloride ions below 500 ppm; and wherein said solution will result in at least a 1 log reduction in C. albicans within 15 minutes of contact.
- 24. (Previously presented) An aqueous contact lens disinfecting solution as claimed in Claim 23, wherein said chelating agent is EDTA; said viscosity enhancing agent is PVP; and said tonicity agent is sorbitol.

25-30. (Withdrawn)

- 31. (New) An aqueous contact lens disinfecting solution as claimed in Claim 23, wherein said viscosity enhancing agent is PVP.
- **32.** (New) An aqueous contact lens disinfecting solution as claimed in Claim **23**, wherein said tonicity agent is sorbitol.
- **33.** (New) An aqueous contact lens disinfecting solution as claimed in Claim **23**, wherein said chelating agent is EDTA.